

SUMMERFIELD TOWNSHIP
September 17, 2018
Regular Meeting
26 Saline St., Petersburg, MI

Meeting called to order by Supervisor Chandler at 6:30 p.m. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Roll call: Goodin, Chandler, Wiederhold, Missler and Curley were present.

Motion by Curley to approve the agenda. Support by Missler. Motion carried.

Motion by Wiederhold to approve the August 20th, 2018 regular meeting minutes. Support by Curley. Motion carried.

Clerk Goodin presented checks. Motion by Wiederhold to approve checks #31064-#31115 in the amount of \$88,295.77. Support by Curley. Motion carried.

Treasurer Report: Wiederhold

Received \$48,016 in constitutional sales tax & \$1,888.04 in franchise fees. I've collected \$972,519.14 thus far in summer taxes. Total monies in all accounts is \$1,898,925.27. Motion by Goodin to accept Treasurer's Report. Support by Curley. Motion carried.

Public Comment: None

New Business:

425 amendment – Clerk Goodin went over survey results. Over twenty four hundred surveys were mailed out and eight hundred and four were returned. The results are as follows:

Grower –	464 in favor of allowing	340 not in favor of allowing
Processor -	470 in favor of allowing	334 not in favor of allowing
Secure Transporter	456 in favor of allowing	348 not in favor of allowing
Provisioning	453 in favor of allowing	351 not in favor of allowing
Safety Compliance	470 in favor of allowing	334 not in favor of allowing

Motion by Goodin to hold a public hearing to consider amending paragraph 3 of the 425 agreement. Support by Wiederhold. Roll call vote: Wiederhold-yea, Curley-yea, Goodin-yea, Missler-nay, and Chandler-nay. Motion carried.

Old Business: Concrete repair bids for fire department

Received three bids: Eric Strickland - \$35,000+1760=\$36,760
S & T General Contracting - \$36,000
Bill Ehram - \$45,197.00

Motion by Goodin to contract cement work with S&T General Contracting for \$36,000. If they are unable to perform the work in a timely manner, the bid of \$36,760 from Eric Strickland is acceptable. Support by Curley. Motion carried.

Reports:

Planning: Reiter

At the September 10th meeting, we held a public hearing regarding solar power. I encourage the board to review it, especially the area of small panels and site plan reviews.

Clerk: Goodin

Fall clean-up date is set for Saturday, October 6th from 8-noon at Stevens Disposal & Recycling Center on Ida West Road.

Preparing for the November 6th general election.

Supervisor: Chandler

Please look at the solar energy ordinance so we can act on it at the October meeting.

Trustee Missler and I met with the Monroe County Road Commission. They will be preparing quotes for chip seal on the following roads: Bentwood, Railroad, Albain, Forest, Teal, Petersburg, Deerfield and Ida Center. Also, they will prepare a quote for pulling the berm on Morocco Road from County Line East to US23.

Fire: Chief Lucas

August

19 rescue

1 service

11 assist

2 fire

25 in township, 8 in city for a total of 33.

Television has been installed and is working.

Received our new turn-out gear.

May not be able to host a fire prevention week with the cement work being done.

Still waiting for someone to come out and advise if we would benefit from solar power.

Motion by Missler to adjourn the meeting at 7:07 p.m. Support by Curley. Motion carried.

Unapproved

Respectfully Submitted:

Trudy Goodin, Clerk